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SUBJECT: VISIT OF IRAQI SEED TEAM

**REF: STATE 149905** 

- 1. USINT FORWARDED AMERICAN SEED TRADE ASSOCIATION (ASTA) INVITATION TO GOI FONMIN ON MAY 28. TO DATE, FOMIN HAS NOT REPLIED.
- 2. COMMERCIAL OFFICER HAS INQUIRED AT STATE FARMS ADMINISTRATION AND IT APPEARS GOI OFFICIALS ARE VERY INTERESTED BUT FINAL SELECTION OF PERSONNEL TO MAKE VISIT HAS NOT BEEN MADE. A NEWLY ORGANIZED STATE COMPANY, THE IRAQI COMPANY FOR CERTIFIED SEED PRODUCTION (IRASCO) MAY SEND A REPRESENTATIVE. WE UNDERSTAND MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND AGRARIAN REFORM ALSO WISHES TO NOMINATE SOMEONE.
- 3. WE WILL CONTINUE TO DISCREETLY URGE CONCERNED OFFICIALS TO PRESS FOR PROMPT DECISION, BUT MUST AWAIT RECEIPT OF FORMAL APPROVAL VIA FONMIN.
- 4. DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT.

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